

AnimExposure

Friday Evening
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Instant Success?!

Big crowds on first day

Well, it's the first official day of Anime Expo and it looks good so far! Thursday night, there were long lines at the pre-registration tables. Around opening time of the con, the dealer's room was packed full of anxious otaku looking for things to buy.

Macross II episodes 1 & 2 Premiere!

(They're back again!)

Like the title says, Macross II episodes 1 & 2 premieres today! There are two showings for July 3rd. The 2:30 (sorry, you missed it) and another showing at 11:30 tonight. These two episodes were dubbed in English for viewer understanding. If you're a Macross fan, these episodes are worth your time!

Rabid Otaku Stalk the Con

The idle roar of haggling permeates the air. Occasional glimpses of scantily clad images entice the senses. An unchained beast creeps about the room, stalking his prey. He approaches the first table. A man stands nearby.

"Do you have a Gun Smith Cat?" he grunts.

The man shakes his head. Anger sears through the beast's mind. The hunger grows. The beast rears up to attack, but another dealer shakes his head. The pain is too much. All must suffer from this insult. The beast bares its fangs and claws, about to attack. Suddenly, he spots a manga on a nearby table which looks familiar. Could it be? Yes, it is! The two-legged beast lumbers over to the table. He hands over a crumpled bill and takes the manga. Satisfied, he strides out of the room allowing all within to continue breathing for yet another day. - DD

Deadline for Morning Edition: 11 PM FRIDAY

Where it's at!

(Party Announcements)

- *Seishun Shitemasu* is holding an open party for viewing of their ODA (Original Dubbed Animation) at 7:00 PM in room 204. Free chips and drinks!
- *Summer Side Party*. See what's new with Summer Side and Pine Salad. We will have many fanzines available including F.S.T.S and Dirty Pair II. Saturday night at 11:00PM (after the Masquerade) in room 259.



Banquets/Brunch Tickets

Guest of Honor banquet and brunch tickets are available at the far end of the hotel outside the dealer's room at the convention ticket table.

Schedule Changes!

See back page.



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Food! Where to eat!

First of all, inside the Red Lion Inn, you have the Coffee Garden and Maxi's. Every Sunday morning, Maxi's has a Sunday brunch. It's huge, good and about 17 dollars.

Outside of the Red Lion Inn you have a few alternatives to the Coffee Garden and Maxi's. There is a Denny's coffee shop at 2077 N. First Street (within walking distance). Also there is a McDonalds which is about 100 feet further down the street on the opposite side (still within walking distance).

If you wish to order to your room, the Round Table Pizza on First Street delivers to the Red Lion. Domino's Pizza will also deliver here.



Last Minute Changes!

Scheduling:

Saturday July 4:

9:00PM-9:30PM - Macross II Introductions

9:30PM-???? - Masquerade party

People:

- Carl Macek, not Jerry Beck, will be hosting the Streamline Panel and be participating in the Subbing vs. Dubbing panel.

Rooms:

- Santa Clara/San Jose rooms were panel rooms but now have been changed to gaming rooms. The new panel rooms are the Monterey/Carmel rooms.

A Peculiar Discovery!

An Amateur Japanese Slang Dictionary

Produced by Jingobei, "Anime Slang" is a mini-dictionary containing 300 slang entries with examples. It was created with the Japanese animation fan in mind, with the help of a native Japanese speaker (who is also an anime fan herself).

The peculiar thing about it, is that their entire table is dedicated entirely to a dictionary produced solely by amateurs, who run a small anime fan group. It is an interesting item to check out at roughly 1¢ per entry. -SC

Party Annoucements Reminder

Remember: if you plan to hold an "open" party on the second floor, we would be more than pleased to announce it in the newsletter. Submission boxes are located at the convention information desk (near the registration tables) and CON-OPS (room 266). Please include the "party name," room number and time. You can also leave a small description and party art, if you wish.

